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For: METHOD FOR STABILIZING PROTEIN SOLUTION) September 24, 2009

REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2009, for which a three month extension of time to respond is hereby requested, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.